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TAGS: PFOR, IR

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT TO PRIME MINISTER
HOVEYDA

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
TO PRIME MINISTER HOVEYDA:

"I DEEPLY APPRECIATE YOUR KIND MESSAGE OF GOOD WISHES ON
MY INAUGURATION AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

IT IS MY FERVENT HOPE THAT THE NEXT FOUR YEARS WILL BRING
SUSTAINED WORLD PEACE AND INCREASING INTERNATIONAL COOP-
ERATION, AND I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING CLOSELY WITH YOU IN
PURSUIT OF THE GOALS OUR COUNTRIES SHARE.

I WANT TO STRENGTHEN THE TIES OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE
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PEOPLE OF YOUR COUNTRY AND OURS.
SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER"

2. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF HOVEYDA'S MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT:

"I WOULD LIKE TO OFFER MY WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR
ASSUMPTION OF OFFICE AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF

AMERICA. IT IS MY SINCERE HOPE THAT YOUR TERM OF OFFICE
WILL BE ONE OF GREAT HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY FOR ALL
AMERICAN PEOPLE. MAY I WARMLY EXTEND MR. PRESIDENT MY
BEST WISHES FOR YOUR SUCCESS IN THE DISCHARGE OF THE
RESPONSIBILITIES OF YOUR HIGH OFFICE."
AMIR ABBAS HOVEYDA PRIME MINISTER OF IRAN.

3. THE WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT INTEND TO RELEASE THIS
EXCHANGE OF MESSAGE, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF THE
RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO.
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Message Attributes

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